1	2	3
CHULHAS	*July, 1990*	*July, 1991*
1. *Fixed*		
Single pot .	25-55	25-74
Double pot .	42-95	50-105
Triple pot .	42-90	50-103
Community	70	100
2. *Portable*		
CPRI Medium Type-I .	110	120
CPRI Large Type-I .	150	165
CPRI Medium Type-II .	135	150

Source :

(1) Directorate of Economics and Statistics Ministry of Agriculture (for Diesel, Kerosene and Electric Bulbs).

(2) States/UT Civil Supplies Departments. (For Salt and Edible Oils).

(3) Office of the Economic Adviser, Ministry of Industry (For Bicycle and Two wheelers)

(4) Ministry of Textiles (For cotton Dhoti and Saree)

(5) Office of DC (SSI), Ministry of Industry, (for stove).

(6) Ministry of Energy (for chulhas)

Production of Heavy Engineering Corporation

3680. SHRI SIMON MARANDI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the production in Heavy Engineering Corporation has been decreasing;

(b) whether a Sub Committee was set up to study the matter;

(c) if so, the number of meetings held by it so far and the decisions taken and recommendations made therein;

(d) whether no action has been taken on the recommendation of this Sub Committee and this undertaking had to lose business amounting to Rs. 400 crores during the last year;

(e) the action taken by the Government since April, 1990 to save this undertaking from incurring losses; and

(f) the outcome achieved therefrom?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) The production achieved by HEC during the last three years is as under:—

(*Rs. in crores*)

Year	*Production*
1988-89 . . .	352.67
1989-90 . . .	368.62
1990-91 (Prov.) . .	263.80

(b) No, Sir.

(c) and (d) Does not arise.

(e) and (f) The company has been incurring losses from quite some time mainly due to its critical liquidity position and lean order book position. In order to overcome these problems, a plan assistance of Rs. 18 crores and non-plan assistance of Rs. 10 crores has been provided to the company during 1990-91. Presently due to Govt. intervention, the user sectors have started placing orders on HEC and the order book position of the company is Rs. 710 crores as on 1-7-1991, which is best in the history of the company.